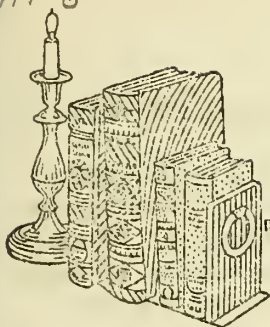


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NEW BOOKS

AUTHORITY IN TVA LAND by W.V. Howard. Kansas City, Mo., Glenn, 1948. 186 p.
280.002 H83.

This book is an attempt to appraise TVA as it is today. Its purpose is to show the public how a Regional or Valley Authority actually operates. If you have not read Lilenthal's TVA- Democracy On The March (280.002 L62T Ed. 3), we suggest you do so before reading this book, that is, if you want the pros and cons.

COMMODITY EXCHANGES AND FUTURES TRADING; PRINCIPLES AND OPERATING METHODS, by J.B. Baer. New York, Harper, 1949. 324 p. 284 B14C.

This is not a trade manual or hand-book of technical terms; nor is it an extensive analytical or theoretical treatise on the economic functions of the Commodity Exchange. Rather its primary purpose is to supply a simple, clear analysis of economic functions, and the regulation of these Exchanges, the methods of operation, and the trading practices. --- Preface.

DYNAMICS OF VEGETATION by F.E. Clements. New York, Wilson, 1949. 296 p.
463.8 C59D.

"Here is a compilation of selected writings on Dynamic Ecology by the late Frederic E. Clements, and a real tribute to his creative genius in the field of plant ecology. Some of his most important essays, which are for the most part out-of-print at the present time, are again made available to agronomists, range men, foresters, conservationists, teachers and students of agronomy." Agronomy Journal. V.41, no.9, September 1949.

FIELD MANUAL OF PLANT ECOLOGY by F.C. Gates. 1st. ed. New York, McGraw-Hill, 1949. 137 p. 463.8 G22:

"The purpose of this manual is to give directions for the undertaking of beginning ecological work with the use of a minimum of apparatus, particularly elaborate apparatus. Although the basic exercises are simple and serve to introduce the subject, they can be extended to more detailed work. Valuable training is given, both in stating and in attempting to solve ecological problems. Nearly all the exercises given in this manual have at one time or another been put into active use. Any study of factors, either with regard to individual plants or to any of the groupings in vegetation, will require the use of instruments. " -- Introduction.

FIFTEEN WAYS TO MAKE MONEY IN THE COUNTRY by H.S. Pearson. New York, Grosset & Dunlap, 1949. 210 p. 31.3 P312F.

Don't rush out and buy a farm. Read the book first and then plan your home in the country. The author has described fifteen ways to make a living in the country; six of them are methods of farming; nine of them are types of business. As an aid to further study and planning the author has listed a number of USDA Farmers' Bulletins (1 Ag84F) in appendix B-pp 209-10. Any of these can be circulated to you from the Atlanta Branch Library as a loan upon request.

THE GRASSES OF NORTH CAROLINA by H.L. Blomquist. Durham, N.C., Duke Univ. Press, 1948. 276 p. 452.3 B62.

This manual is based upon the study of grasses of North Carolina extending over a period of about twelve years. The advantages of a manual based on the study of the plants within a limited area are, first of all, the recording of the accumulated data and, second, the simplification of a means for their identification. Although the objectives of this manual are primarily taxonomic, the economic side has been considered. --Preface.

HUMAN BEHAVIOR AND THE PRINCIPLE OF LEAST EFFORT by G.K. Zipf. Cambridge, Mass. Addison-Wesley, 1949. 573 p. 280 Z64H.

Everyone in the course of his daily living must to some extent move about in his environment. And in so moving he may be said to take paths. Yet these paths that he takes in his environment do not constitute his entire activity. The author stresses this concept of movement over paths because he demonstrates through the chapters of his book that every individual's movement, of whatever sort, will always be over paths and will always tend to be governed by one single primary principle which, for the want of a better term, is called "Principle of Least Effort". Moreover, the author demonstrates that the structure and organization of an individual's entire being will tend always to be such that his entire behavior will be governed by this principle. --- Introduction.

HYDROLOGY by C.O. Wisler and E.F. Brater. New York, Wiley, 1949. 419 p. 292 W752.

Hydrology -- a discussion of precipitation, floods, the hydrograph, infiltration capacity, and other recent developments in hydrology. The many applications cited throughout the book make it useful to the general practicing engineer, forester and agriculturist, as well as to the student who is looking for the basic principles of hydrology.

AN INTRODUCTION TO PALEOBOTANY BY C.A. Arnold. 1st ed. New York, McGraw-Hill, 1947. 433 p. 402.1 Ar61.

The authors approach to the subject is essentially botanical. The two works of reference principally used are Seward's Fossil Plants and Scott's Studies in Fossil Plants. Since their publication, many new and important discoveries have been made that have added to the knowledge of fossil plants and has also altered the interpretations of some of them. This book, therefore, will not serve as a substitute for the larger and more comprehensive works on paleobotany, but its value is the presentation of new developments and new points of view. --Preface.

TWO HUNDRED YEARS OF AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION IN GEORGIA, BY J.T. Wheeler.

Danville, Ill., Interstate, 1948. 397 p. 275.1 W56T

The factual data on which this book is based were first compiled in 1940 as a part of a research project fostered by the United States Office of Education. Besides the factual running story of agricultural education in Georgia, the author has added to each chapter some evaluations and comments. These additions are not history in the true sense; they are simply interpretations of the facts of history as seen by one who has devoted more than forty years to the development of this field of education in the state and nation. --Preface.

THE WAY TO WRITE by R.F. Flesch. Rev. ed. New York, Harper, 1949. 342 p.

200.4 E63W.

THE WAY TO WRITE is meant for those who want to do something about improving their writing, but have found other books either too academic or too specialized. Here is what this book will do for you: It deals with the thinking and planning that go into the daily writing chores of adult life. It gives you an understanding of the tools of writing - sentences, paragraphs, words. It gives a thorough working knowledge of the basic rules of grammar - usage, spelling, punctuation. Of course you will not learn to write by merely reading this book - you will still have to work at the job, but it will help you to learn to write clearly and correctly.

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GROWING ALFALFA. USDA Farmers' B. 1772 rev. Washington, 1949. 33 p. 1 Ag84F.

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HOW TO USE WHOLE AND NONFAT DRY MILK. USDA AIS 86. Washington, 1949. 30 p. 1 Ag84Ais.

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THE RELATIONSHIP OF MACHINE MILKING TO THE INCIDENCE AND SEVERITY OF MASTITIS. USDA Tech. B. 992. Washington, August, 1949. 51 p. 1 Ag84Te.

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NEWS NOTES

THE U.S. FOREST SERVICE is responsible for the management, protection and development of 152 National Forests in the United States, Alaska and Puerto Rico. The Nation's forest lands comprise over 440,000,000 acres, or approximately a third of the total land area of the United States. The U.S. Forest Service cooperates with the States and private timber owners in the protection and management of their timberlands.

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